

**AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER**Docket No.  
1907-0205PApplication No.  
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Invention: DISK MEDIUM MANAGING METHOD

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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| Total Claims  | 8   | - 20 =                                  |                                   | x    |                 |
| Independent<br>Claims   | 1   | - 3 =                                   |                                   | x    |                 |
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